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Amendments to the Drawings:

Included in the amendment are an "Annotated Sheet Showing Changes" and a "Replacement Sheet" for Figs. 4C, 8, and 9.

In Fig. 4C the equations in Syntax/Operation block 460 have been modified to correspond with the specification and to correct three typos. Two of the typos concern a parenthesis inadvertently included in an equation and the third typo concerns the labeling of the 16<sup>th</sup> instruction. The equation:

$(V[01]+VIMOFFS) + 1)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow 2^{nd} \text{ Instruction following LV2}$

and

$(V[01]+VIMOFFS) + InstrCnt)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow (InstrCnt)^{th} \text{ Instruction following LV2}$

have been amended to:

$(V[01]+VIMOFFS) + 1)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow 2^{nd} \text{ Instruction following LV2}$

and

$(V[01]+VIMOFFS) + InstrCnt)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow (InstrCnt + 1)^{th} \text{ Instruction following LV2}$

to correctly correspond to the text immediately below the last equation which correctly states:

"InstrCnt is a binary coded number, 0 thru F, that represents from 1 to 16 instructions that can be loaded into up to 16 consecutive UnitVIM locations." For example, for the 16<sup>th</sup> instruction to be loaded, InstrCnt would be set to a maximum setting of F, a binary setting of all 1's in the four bit InstrCnt bit field of bits 18-21 in LV2 instruction 450 Fig. 4C, and the equation would then indicate, by substituting F for InstrCnt, as follows:

$(V[01]+VIMOFFS + F)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow (F + 1)^{th} \text{ Instruction following LV2}$

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which equivalently in decimal is:

$(V[01] + VIMOFFS + 15)[UnitVIM] \leftarrow (16)^{th}$  Instruction following LV2

Consequently, with  $(V[01] + VIMOFFS) = b$  as the start address where the first instruction is loaded, sixteen VIM addresses  $b$  to  $b+15$  are loaded, where  $b+15$  is the  $16^{th}$  instruction loaded.

In Fig. 8, high address label A-1 on the ALU VIM 903 is amended to C-1 and high address label B-1 on the adjacent MAU VIM is amended to D-1 to be consistent with partitioned VIM section high address labels of Fig. 6 ALU instruction VIM 624 and MAU instruction VIM 626, respectively. The capacities of the separate VIM sections are indicated by the 0-(A-1) store VIM 620, 0-(B-1) load VIM 622, 0-(C-1) ALU VIM 624, 0-(D-1) MAU VIM 626, and 0-(E-1) DSU VIM 628. Each separate VIM section as shown in Figs. 6 and 8 may have a different capacity depending upon application and implementation requirements.

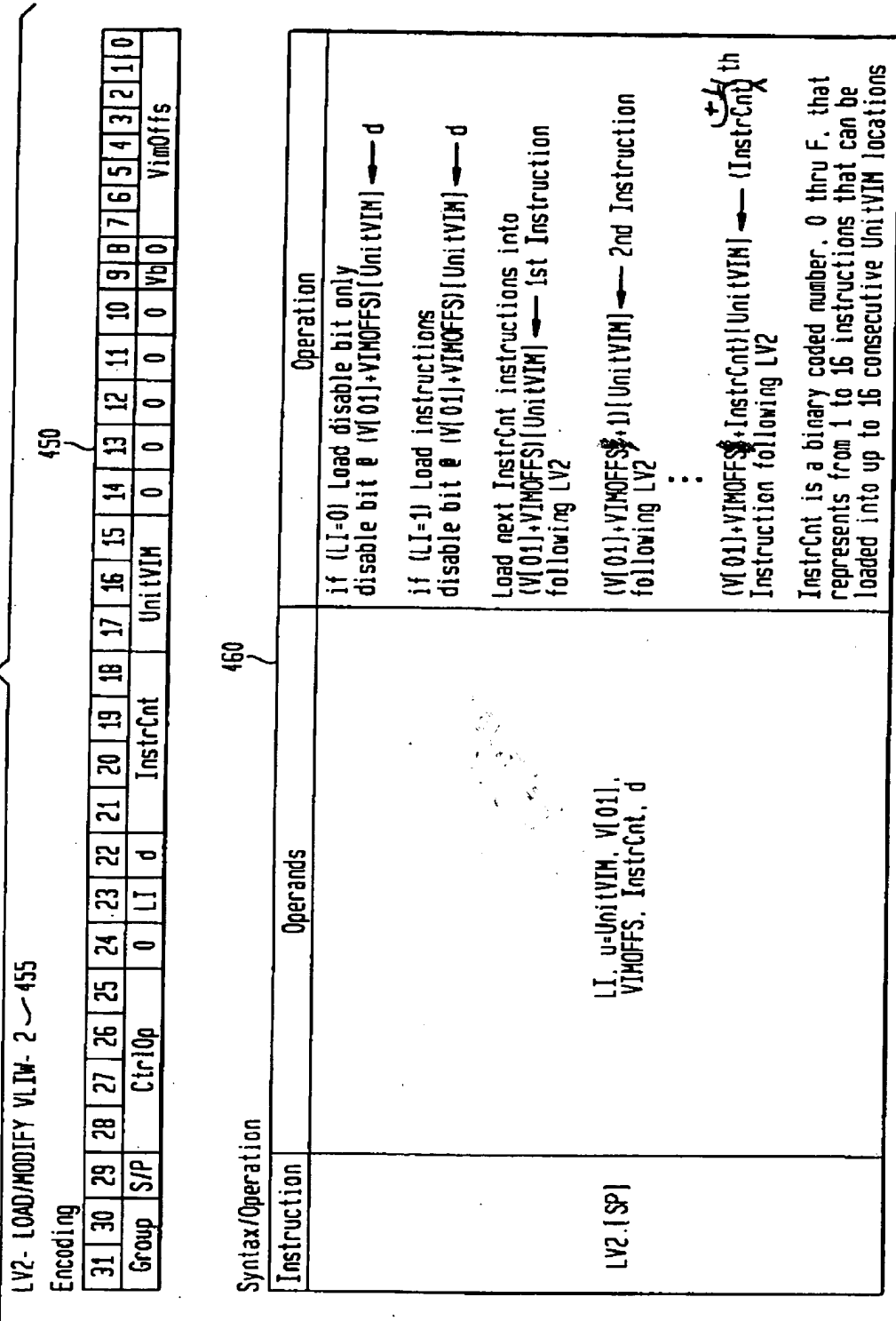
In Fig. 9, high address label B-1 on the ALU VIM 903 is amended to C-1 to be consistent with partitioned VIM section high address labels of Fig. 6 ALU instruction VIM 624 and newly amended Fig. 8 ALU VIM 903. In addition, circular label d 937 is amended to c 937 to be consistent with the similar label in Fig. 8 associated with the VIM ALU 903.

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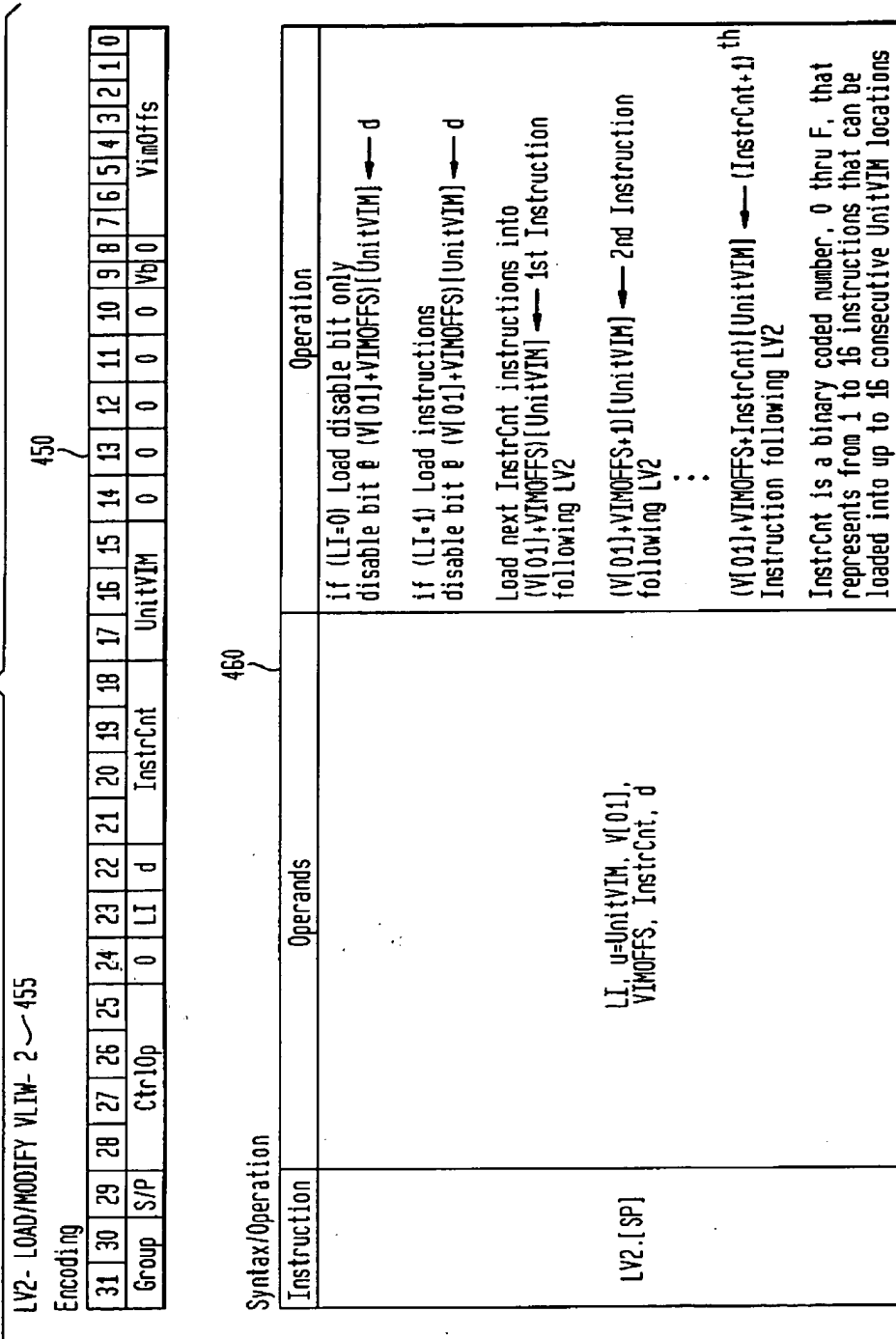
FIG. 4C



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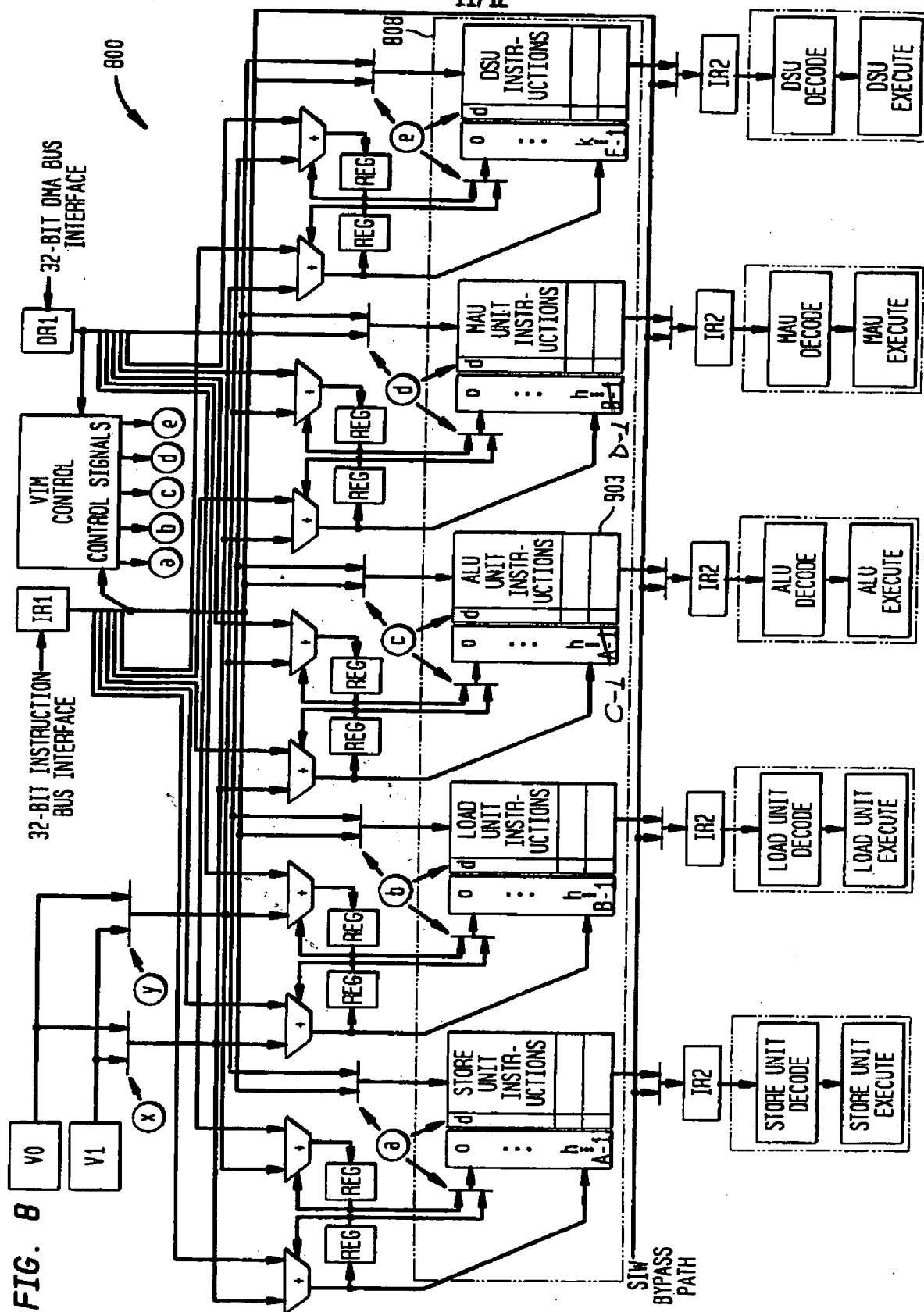
FIG. 4C



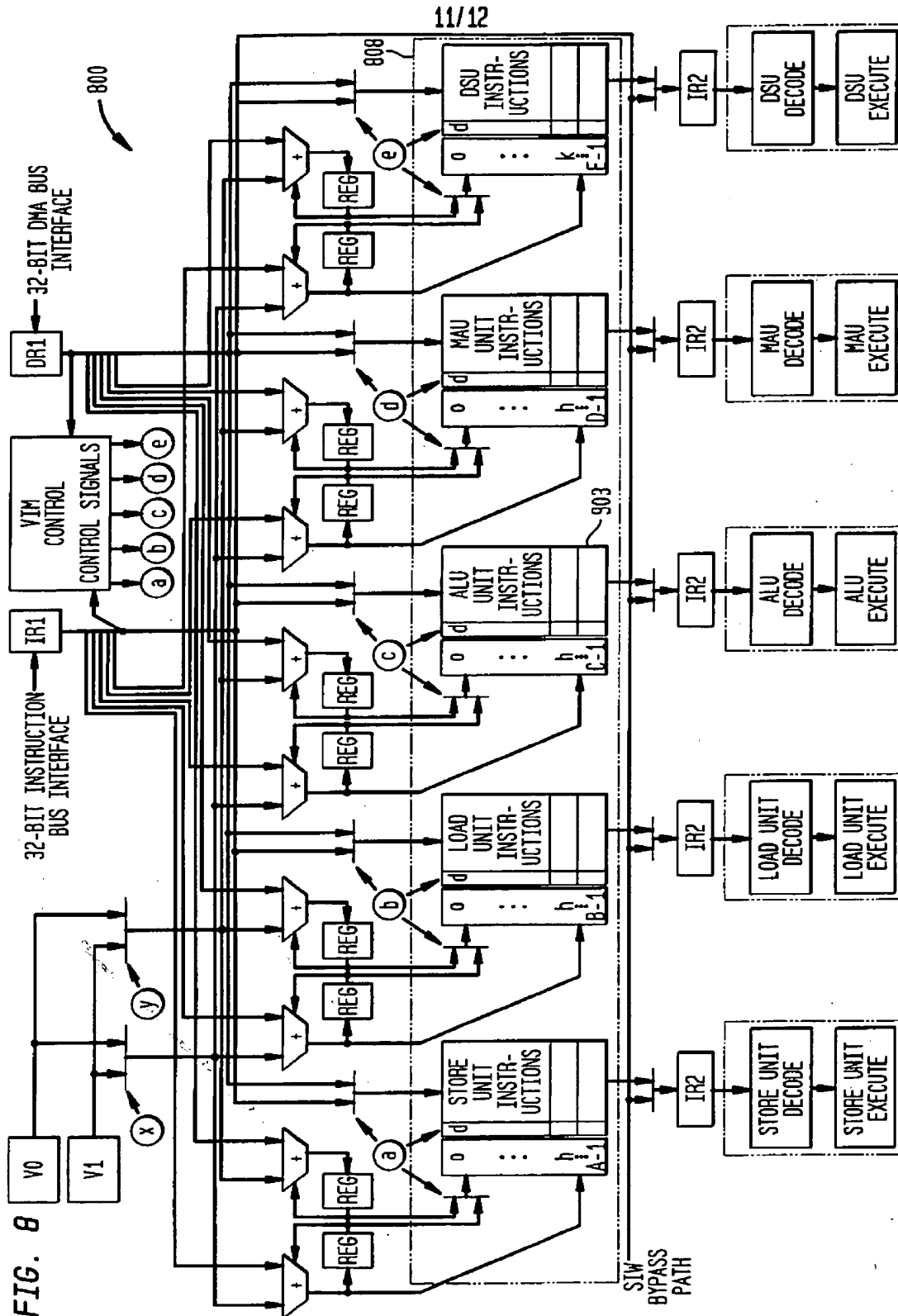
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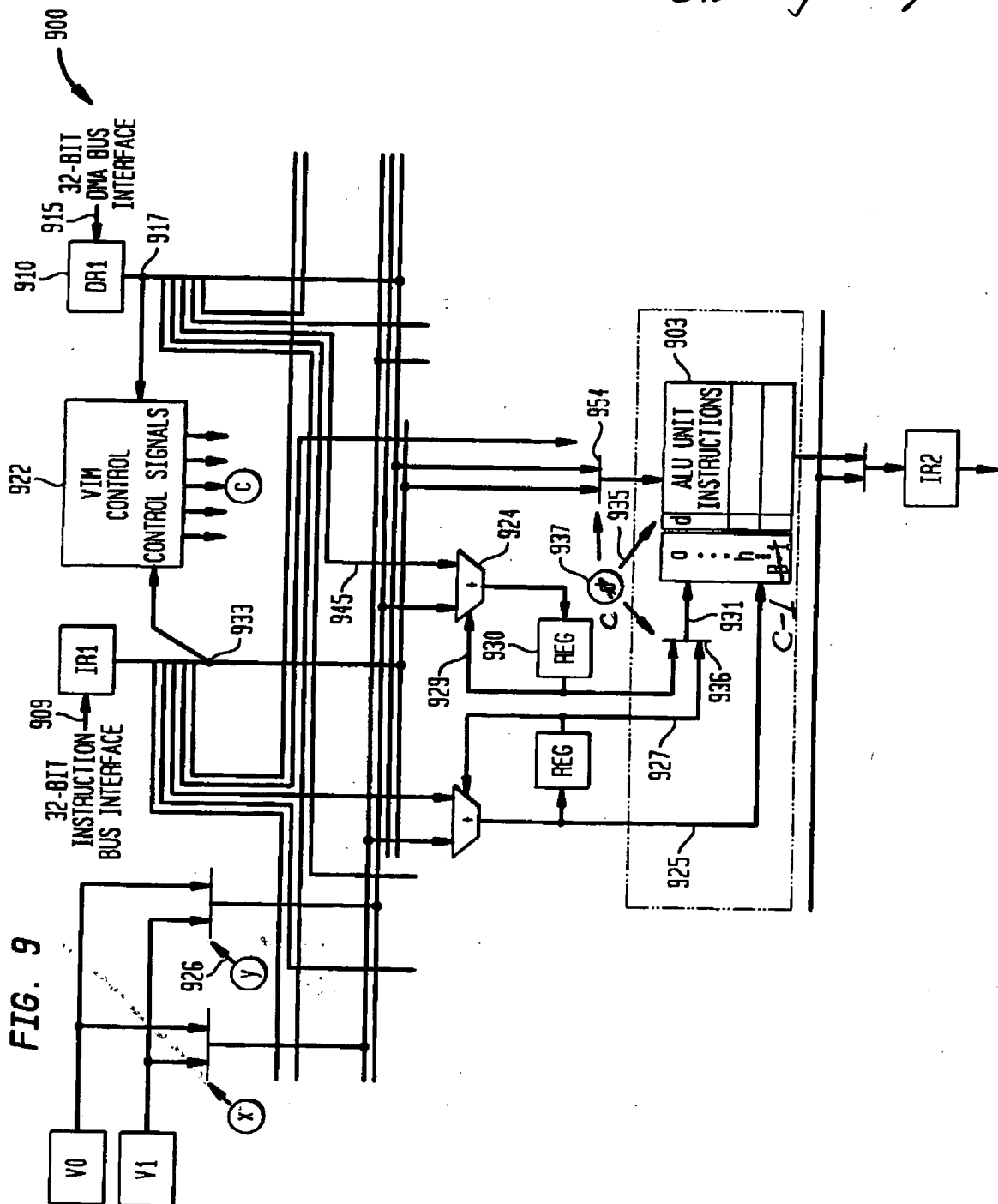
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